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## PETITION FOR SPECIAL STATUS 37 C.F.R. § 1.102(c) and MPEP 708.02 (IV)

The applicant petitions the Director to make this application special and expedite its prosecution as provided in 37 C.F.R. § 1.102(c) and MPEP 708.02 (IV), based on the applicant's age.

The applicant is 65 years of age, as shown by the attached applicant's statement. No fee is understood to be due for a petition to make special on this basis.

Respectfully submitted,

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## STATEMENT OF FACTS SUPPORTING A CLAIM FOR SPECIAL STATUS 37 C.F.R. § 1.102(c) and MPEP 708.02 (IV)

- I, Geoffrey Flagstad, am the sole inventor of the patent application identified in the heading of this paper.
  - 2. I am currently 67 years old. I was born on May 15, 1940.
- 3. All statements made in this declaration of my own knowledge are true, and all statements made on information and belief are believed to be true. I have been warned that any willful false statements are punishable by fine or imprisonment, or both, under 18 U.S.C. § 1001, and may jeopardize the validity of this application or any patent issued thereon.

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